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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20232

Sir:

Please cancel claim 10, without prejudice.

In claim 4, line 1, please change "according to claim 2" to -- according to claim 1 --.

Please amend claim 8 to read as indicated.

- 8. (Amended once.) A method of transmitting data to a system which maintains accounts of credit transaction, comprising the following steps:
 - a) presenting a wireless terminal to a customer, which
 - i) issues a message requesting presentation of a credit card;
 - ii) reads card data from a credit card, when
 presented;
 - iii) issues a message requesting entry of a

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